#### §210.353

## §210.353 Monthly report of sales and royalty.

A completed Report of Sales and Royalty Remittance (Form MMS-2014) must be submitted each month once sales or utilization of production occur, even though sales may be intermittent, unless otherwise authorized by MMS. This report is due on or before the last day of the month following the month in which production was sold or utilized, together with the royalties due the United States.

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#### §210.354 Reporting instructions.

Specific guidance on how to prepare and submit required information collection reports and forms to MMS is contained in the publication titled Minerals Revenue Reporter Handbook—Oil, Gas, and Geothermal Resources, which is available from the Minerals Management Service, Minerals Revenue Management, Financial Management, P.O. Box 25165, Mail Stop 350B1, Denver, CO 80225-0165. For copies from the MMS Web site, go to http://www.mrm.mms.gov/. Click Reporting Information and select the topic.

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# Subpart A—General Provisions [Reserved]

# Subpart B—Oil, Gas, and OCS Sulphur—General

## \$212.50 Required recordkeeping and reports.

All records pertaining to offshore and onshore Federal and Indian oil and gas leases shall be maintained by a lessee, operator, revenue payor, or other person for 6 years after the records are generated unless the recordholder is notified, in writing, that records must be maintained for a longer period. When an audit or investigation is underway, records shall be maintained until the recordholder is released by written notice of the obligation to maintain records.

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### § 212.51 Records and files maintenance.

(a) Records. Each lessee, operator, revenue payor, or other person shall make and retain accurate and complete records necessary to demonstrate that payments of rentals, royalties, net profit shares, and other payments related to offshore and onshore Federal and Indian oil and gas leases are in compliance with lease terms, regulations, and orders. Records covered by this section include those specified by lease terms, notices and orders, and by the various parts of this chapter. Records also include computer programs, automated files, and supporting documentation systems used to produce automated reports or magnetic tape submitted to the Minerals Management Service (MMS).